

believes that a few of these principles bear emphasis today.

Members should refrain from trafficking the well when another—including the presiding officer—is addressing the House.

Members should wear appropriate business attire during all sittings of the House, however brief their appearance on the floor might be.

Members who wish to speak on the floor should respectfully seek and obtain recognition from the presiding officer, taking the time to do so in proper form, including 1-minutes. The proper form would be to ask unanimous consent to address the House for 1 minute.

Members should take care to yield and reclaim time in an orderly fashion, bearing in mind that the Official Reporters of Debate cannot properly transcribe two Members simultaneously.

Members should address their remarks in debate to the presiding officer and not to others in the second person or to some perceived viewing audience.

Members should not embellish the offering of a motion, the entry of a request, the making of a point of order, or the entry of an appeal with any statement of motive or other commentary, and should be aware that such utterances could render the motion, request, point of order, or appeal untimely.

Members should attempt to come to the floor to vote within the 15-minute period as prescribed by the first ringing of the bells. The Members should know that if the Member is in the aisle, is in the Chamber, they are entitled to vote. But as a point of courtesy to each of your colleagues, trying to be on time within the allotted time would help with the maintenance of the institution.

Following these basic standards of practice will foster an atmosphere of mutual and institutional respect. It will ensure against personal confrontation, among individual Members or between Members and the presiding officer. It will facilitate Members' comprehension of, and participation in, the business of the House. It will enable accurate transcriptions of proceedings. In sum, it will ensure the comity that elevates spirited deliberations above mere argument.

The Chair appreciates the attention of the Members to these matters.

ACADEMIC COMPETITION RESOLUTION OF 2013

The SPEAKER. Without objection, 5-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution (H. Res. 77) establishing an academic competition in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics among students in Congressional districts, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Michigan (Mrs. MILLER) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 411, nays 3, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 49]

YEAS—411

Aderholt	Davis (CA)	Higgins
Alexander	Davis, Danny	Himes
Amodei	Davis, Rodney	Hinojosa
Andrews	DeFazio	Holding
Bachmann	DeGette	Holt
Bachus	Delaney	Honda
Barber	DeLauro	Horsford
Barletta	DelBene	Hoyer
Barr	Denham	Hudson
Barrow (GA)	Dent	Huelskamp
Barton	DeSantis	Huffman
Bass	DesJarlais	Huizenga (MI)
Beatty	Deutch	Hultgren
Becerra	Diaz-Balart	Hunter
Benishek	Dingell	Hurt
Bentivolio	Doggett	Israel
Bera (CA)	Doyle	Issa
Bishop (GA)	Duckworth	Jackson Lee
Bishop (NY)	Duffy	Jeffries
Black	Duncan (SC)	Jenkins
Blackburn	Duncan (TN)	Johnson (GA)
Blumenauer	Edwards	Johnson (OH)
Bonamici	Ellison	Johnson, E. B.
Bonner	Ellmers	Johnson, Sam
Boustany	Engel	Jones
Brady (PA)	Enyart	Jordan
Brady (TX)	Eshoo	Joyce
Braley (IA)	Esty	Kaptur
Bridenstine	Farenthold	Keating
Brooks (AL)	Farr	Kelly
Brooks (IN)	Fattah	Kennedy
Broun (GA)	Fincher	Kildee
Brown (FL)	Fitzpatrick	Kilmer
Brownley (CA)	Fleischmann	Kind
Buchanan	Fleming	King (IA)
Bucshon	Flores	King (NY)
Burgess	Forbes	Kingston
Bustos	Fortenberry	Kinzinger (IL)
Butterfield	Foster	Kirkpatrick
Calvert	Fox	Kline
Camp	Frankel (FL)	Kuster
Campbell	Franks (AZ)	Labrador
Cantor	Frelinghuysen	LaMalfa
Capito	Fudge	Lamborn
Capps	Gabbard	Lance
Capuano	Gallego	Langevin
Cardenas	Garamendi	Lankford
Carney	Garcia	Larsen (WA)
Carson (IN)	Gardner	Larson (CT)
Carter	Garrett	Latham
Cartwright	Gerlach	Latta
Cassidy	Gibbs	Lee (CA)
Castor (FL)	Gibson	Levin
Castro (TX)	Gingrey (GA)	Lewis
Chabot	Gohmert	Lipinski
Chaffetz	Goodlatte	LoBiondo
Chu	Gosar	Loeb
Ciilline	Gowdy	Lofgren
Clarke	Granger	Long
Clay	Graves (GA)	Lowenthal
Cleaver	Graves (MO)	Lowey
Clyburn	Grayson	Luetkemeyer
Coffman	Green, Al	Lujan Grisham
Cohen	Green, Gene	(NM)
Cole	Griffin (AR)	Lujan, Ben Ray
Collins (GA)	Griffith (VA)	(NM)
Collins (NY)	Grijalva	Lummis
Conaway	Grimm	Maloney,
Connolly	Guthrie	Carolyn
Conyers	Gutierrez	Maloney, Sean
Cook	Hahn	Marchant
Cooper	Hall	Marino
Costa	Hanabusa	Markey
Cotton	Harper	Matheson
Courtney	Harris	Matsui
Cramer	Hartzler	McCarthy (CA)
Crawford	Hastings (FL)	McCarthy (NY)
Crenshaw	Hastings (WA)	McCaul
Crowley	Heck (NV)	McClintock
Cuellar	Heck (WA)	McCollum
Cummings	Hensarling	McDermott
Daines	Herrera Beutler	McGovern

McHenry	Price (GA)	Smith (NJ)
McIntyre	Price (NC)	Smith (TX)
McKeon	Quigley	Smith (WA)
McKinley	Radel	Southerland
McMorris	Rahall	Speier
Rodgers	Rangel	Stewart
McNerney	Reed	Stivers
Meadows	Reichert	Stockman
Meehan	Renacci	Stutzman
Meeks	Rice (SC)	Swalwell (CA)
Meng	Roby	Takano
Messer	Roe (TN)	Terry
Mica	Rogers (AL)	Thompson (CA)
Michaud	Rogers (KY)	Thompson (MS)
Miller (FL)	Rogers (MI)	Thompson (PA)
Miller (MI)	Rohrabacher	Thornberry
Miller, Gary	Rooney	Tiberi
Miller, George	Ros-Lehtinen	Tierney
Moore	Roskam	Tipton
Moran	Ross	Titus
Mullin	Rothfus	Tonko
Mulvaney	Roybal-Allard	Tsongas
Murphy (FL)	Royce	Turner
Murphy (PA)	Ruiz	Upton
Nadler	Runyan	Valadao
Napolitano	Ruppersberger	Van Hollen
Neal	Rush	Vargas
Negrete McLeod	Ryan (OH)	Veasey
Noem	Ryan (WI)	Vela
Nolan	Salmon	Visclosky
Nugent	Sanchez, Linda	Wagner
Nunes	T.	Walberg
Nunnelee	Sanchez, Loretta	Walden
O'Rourke	Sarbanes	Walorski
Olson	Scalise	Walz
Owens	Schakowsky	Wasserman
Palazzo	Schiff	Schultz
Pallone	Schneider	Waters
Pascarella	Schock	Watt
Pastor (AZ)	Schrader	Waxman
Paulsen	Schwartz	Weber (TX)
Payne	Schweikert	Webster (FL)
Pearce	Scott, Austin	Welch
Pelosi	Scott, David	Wenstrup
Perlmutter	Sensenbrenner	Westmoreland
Perry	Serrano	Whitfield
Peters (CA)	Sessions	Williams
Peters (MI)	Sewell (AL)	Wilson (FL)
Peterson	Shea-Porter	Wilson (SC)
Petri	Sherman	Wittman
Pingree (ME)	Shimkus	Wolf
Pitts	Shuster	Womack
Pocan	Simpson	Woodall
Poe (TX)	Sinema	Yarmuth
Polis	Sires	Yoder
Pompeo	Slaughter	Yoho
Posey	Smith (NE)	Young (IN)

NAYS—3

Amash	Massie	Ribble
Bilirakis	Lynch	Rokita
Bishop (UT)	Maffei	Scott (VA)
Coble	Neugebauer	Velázquez
Culberson	Pittenger	Young (AK)
Hanna	Richmond	Young (FL)
Lucas	Rigell	

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. COLLINS of Georgia). The unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 290, nays 118, answered “present” 1, not voting 22, as follows:

[Roll No. 50]

YEAS—290

Aderholt Fudge Nadler
 Alexander Gabbard Napolitano
 Bachmann Gallego Negrete McLeod
 Bachus Garamendi Neugebauer
 Barber Garcia Noem
 Barletta Garrett Nunes
 Barrow (GA) Gerlach Nunnelee
 Barton Gibbs O'Rourke
 Beatty Gingrey (GA) Olson
 Becerra Goodlatte Palazzo
 Bera (CA) Gosar Pascrell
 Bishop (GA) Gowdy Payne
 Bishop (UT) Granger Pelosi
 Black Grayson Perlmutter
 Blackburn Green, Al Perry
 Blumenauer Griffith (VA) Petri
 Bonamici Grimm Pingree (ME)
 Bonner Guthrie Pocan
 Boustany Hahn Polis
 Brady (TX) Hall Pompeo
 Braley (IA) Hanabusa Posey
 Bridenstine Harper Price (NC)
 Brooks (AL) Harris Quigley
 Brooks (IN) Hastings (WA) Radel
 Broun (GA) Heck (WA) Rangel
 Brown (FL) Hensarling Rice (SC)
 Brownley (CA) Higgins Roby
 Buchanan Himes Rogers (AL)
 Bucshon Hinojosa Rogers (MI)
 Bustos Holt Rohrabacher
 Butterfield Huelskamp Rokita
 Calvert Huffman Rooney
 Camp Huizenga (MI) Ros-Lehtinen
 Campbell Hultgren Roskam
 Cantor Hunter Ross
 Capito Hurt Rothfus
 Capps Issa Roybal-Allard
 Carney Johnson, Sam Royce
 Carson (IN) Jones Ruiz
 Cartwright Joyce Runyan
 Cassidy Kaptur Ruppersberger
 Castro (TX) Keating Ryan (WI)
 Chabot Kelly Scalise
 Chaffetz Kennedy Schiff
 Chu Kildee Schneider
 Cicilline King (IA) Schock
 Cleaver King (NY) Schrader
 Clyburn Kingston Schwartz
 Cohen Kline Schweikert
 Cole Kuster Scott, Austin
 Collins (GA) Labrador Scott, David
 Collins (NY) LaMalfa Sensenbrenner
 Conaway Lamborn Serrano
 Connolly Lankford Sessions
 Cook Larsen (WA) Shea-Porter
 Cooper Larson (CT) Sherman
 Crawford Levin Shimkus
 Crenshaw Lipinski Shuster
 Cuellar Loeb sack Simpson
 Cummings Lofgren Smith (NE)
 Daines Long Smith (NJ)
 Davis (CA) Lowenthal Smith (TX)
 Davis, Danny Luetkemeyer Smith (WA)
 DeGette Lujan Grisham Southerland
 Delaney (NM) Speier
 DeLauro Luján, Ben Ray Stivers
 DelBene (NM) Stockman
 DeSantis Maloney, Stutzman
 DesJarlais Carolyn Swallow (CA)
 Deutch Maloney, Sean Thompson (PA)
 Diaz-Balart Marino Thornberry
 Dingell Markey Tiberi
 Doggett Massie Tierney
 Doyle McCarthy (CA) Titus
 Duckworth McCarthy (NY) Tonko
 Duncan (SC) McCaul Tsongas
 Duncan (TN) McClintock Upton
 Ellison McCollum Van Hollen
 Ellmers McHenry Vargas
 Engel McIntyre Wagner
 Enyart McKeon Walden
 Eshoo McMorris Walorski
 Esty Rodgers Walz
 Farenthold McNERney Wasserman
 Farr Meadows Schultz
 Fattah Meng Waters
 Fincher Messer Watt
 Fleischmann Michaud Waxman
 Fleming Miller (FL) Weber (TX)
 Flores Miller (MI) Webster (FL)
 Forbes Miller, Gary Welch
 Fortenberry Moran Wenstrup
 Foster Mullin Westmoreland
 Frankel (FL) Mulvaney Whitfield
 Franks (AZ) Murphy (FL) Williams
 Frelinghuysen Murphy (PA) Wilson (FL)

Wilson (SC)
Wittman
WolfWomack
Yarmuth
Yoho

Young (IN)

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 25, 2013.Hon. JOHN A. BOEHNER,
*Office of the Speaker, The Capitol,
Washington, DC.*

MR. SPEAKER, In light of my recent appointment to the House Ways and Means Committee, I hereby resign my position on both the House Budget Committee and the House Committee on Financial Services.

Best Regards,

CONGRESSMAN JIM RENACCI.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the resignations are accepted.

There was no objection.

RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE, COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES, AND COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, SPACE, AND TECHNOLOGY

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following resignation as a member of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, the Committee on Natural Resources, and the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 25, 2013.Hon. JOHN BOEHNER,
*Speaker, House of Representatives, Capitol,
Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Thank you for supporting my appointment to serve on the Committee on Appropriations. I sincerely appreciate the opportunity to serve on the Appropriations Committee.

I understand that in order to facilitate this appointment, I am required to resign from my current committee assignments. As a result, this letter is to resign my membership on the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, the Committee on Natural Resources, and the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

ANDY HARRIS, M.D.,
Member of Congress.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the resignations are accepted.

There was no objection.

RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following resignation as a member of the Committee on Agriculture:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 26, 2013.Hon. JOHN BOEHNER,
*Speaker, The Capitol, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.*

DEAR SPEAKER BOEHNER: This letter is to notify you of my interest in stepping down from the House Committee on Agriculture so that I can dedicate additional focus to my other committee assignments and legislative responsibilities. Thank you for your thoughtful consideration of my request.

Sincerely,

STEVE SOUTHERLAND II,
Member of Congress.

NAYS—118

Amash Herrera Beutler
 Andrews Holding
 Barr Honda
 Bass Horsford
 Hoyer Hoyer
 Hudson Hudson
 Israel Israel
 Jackson Lee Jackson Lee
 Jeffries Jeffries
 Jenkins Jenkins
 Johnson (OH) Johnson (OH)
 Johnson, E. B. Johnson, E. B.
 Jordan Jordan
 Kilmer Kilmer
 Kind Kind
 Kinzinger (IL) Kinzinger (IL)
 Costa Kirkpatrick
 Cotton Lance
 Courtney Langevin
 Crowley Latham
 Davis, Rodney Latta
 DeFazio Lee (CA)
 Denham Lewis
 Dent LoBiondo
 Duffy Lowey
 Edwards Lummis
 Fitzpatrick Marchant
 Foxx Matheson
 Gardner Matsui
 Gibson McDermott
 Graves (GA) McGovern
 Graves (MO) McKinley
 Green, Gene Meehan
 Griffin (AR) Meeks
 Grijalva Miller, George
 Gutierrez Moore
 Hanna Neal
 Hartzler Nolan
 Hastings (FL) Nugent
 Heck (NV) Pallone

Pastor (AZ)
 Paulsen
 Pearce
 Peters (CA)
 Peters (MI)
 Peterson
 Pitts
 Poe (TX)
 Price (GA)
 Rahall
 Reed
 Reichert
 Renacci
 Ribble
 Roe (TN)
 Rush
 Ryan (OH)
 Salmon
 Sánchez, Linda
 T.
 Sanchez, Loretta
 Sarbanes
 Schakowsky
 Sewell (AL)
 Sinema
 Sires
 Slaughter
 Terry
 Thompson (CA)
 Thompson (MS)
 Tipton
 Turner
 Valadao
 Veasey
 Vela
 Visclosky
 Walberg
 Woodall
 Yoder

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

Owens

NOT VOTING—22

Amodei Lucas
 Bilirakis Lynch
 Carter Maffei
 Coble Mica
 Cramer Pittenger
 Culberson Richmond
 Gohmert Rigell
 Johnson (GA) Rogers (KY)

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So the Journal was approved.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. MAFFEI. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 48 on a motion to adjourn, I am not recorded because I was absent due to a death in my family. Had I been present, I would have voted "nay."

Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 49 on H. Res. 77, I am not recorded because I was absent due to a death in my family. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 50 on approving the Journal, I am not recorded because I was absent due to a death in my family. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

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RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF
COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET
AND COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL
SERVICES

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. ROTHFUS) laid before the House the following resignation as a member of the Committee on the Budget and the Committee on Financial Services: